

# {Bite}Code Generation

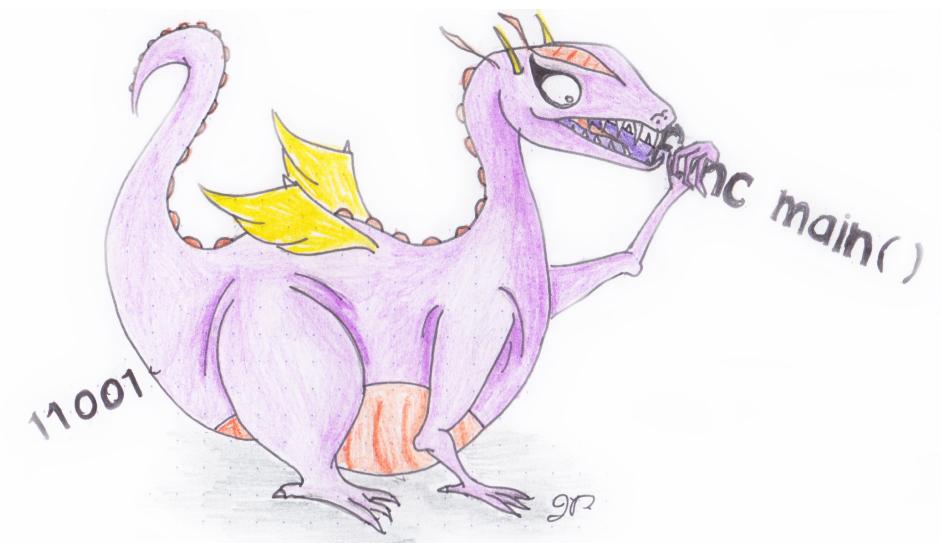
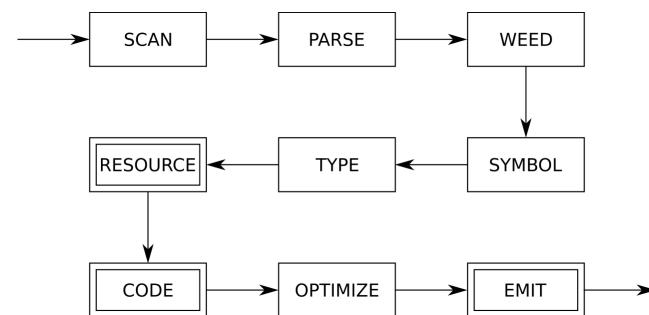
COMP 520: Compiler Design (4 credits)

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# Announcements (Friday, February 16th)

## Milestones

- Assignment 2 will be graded by around Sunday (or so)

## Milestone 1

- Any questions?
- Block comments [https://play.golang.org/p/J0w\\_Hz\\_Wy79](https://play.golang.org/p/J0w_Hz_Wy79)
- Get started early!
- **Due:** Sunday, February 25th 11:59 PM

# Reference Compiler (GoLite)

## Accessing

- ssh <sochs\_username>@teaching.cs.mcgill.ca
- ~cs520/golitec {keyword} < {file}
- If you find errors in the reference compiler, bonus points!

## Keywords for the first assignment

- scan: run scanner only, OK/Error
- tokens: produce the list of tokens for the program
- parse: run scanner+parser, OK/Error
- pretty: produce a pretty output for the program

# Code Generation

The *code generation* phase has several sub-phases

- Computing *resources* such as stack layouts, offsets, labels, registers, and dimensions;
- Generating an internal representation of machine codes for statements and expressions;
- Optimizing the code (ignored for now); and
- Emitting the code to files in assembler or binary format.

## Resources - JOOS

In a general sense, resources are metadata necessary to generate code for the target architecture. They represent information that the machine will use for setup and/or execution of a code segment.

- Offsets for locals and formals;
- Labels for control structures; and
- Local and stack limits for methods.

These values cannot be computed based on a single statement – we must perform a global traversal of the parse trees and collect state information.

# Resources - Offsets and Locals Limit

```
public class Resources {  
    public Resources() { super(); }  
    public void Method(int p 1, int q 2, Resources r 3) {  
        int x 4;  
        int y 5;  
        {  
            int z 6;  
            z = 87;  
        }  
        {  
            boolean a 6;  
            {  
                int z 7;  
                a = true;  
            }  
            {  
                int k 7;  
                k = q;  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

The locals limit is the largest offset generated on any path + one extra slot for `this` (non-static methods).

# Resources - Offsets and Locals Limit

The AST is recursively traversed, associating each variable declaration with the next offset

```
int offset, localslimit;

// Generate the next offset, keeping track of the limit
int nextoffset() {
    offset++;
    if (offset > localslimit) localslimit = offset;
    return offset;
}

void resFORMAL(FORMAL *f) {
    if (f != NULL) {
        resFORMAL(f->next);
        f->offset = nextoffset();
    }
}

void resLOCAL(LOCAL *l) {
    if (l != NULL) {
        resLOCAL(l->next);
        l->offset = nextoffset();
    }
}
```

# Resources - Offsets and Locals Limit

## Handling blocks

Blocks open a new scope, where each declaration is local to the new scope. We therefore restore the previous locals offset after computing its resources.

```
case blockK:  
    baseoffset = offset;  
    resSTATEMENT(s->val.blocks.body);  
    offset = baseoffset;  
    break;
```

## Resources - Labels

When executing a branch instruction, the JVM jumps to a new section of code tagged with a label. Each control structure therefore contains labels to implement its respective control flow.

if:	1 label
ifelse:	2 labels
while:	2 labels
and &&:	1 label
==, <, >, <=, >=, and !=:	2 labels
!:	2 labels
toString coercion:	2 labels

Labels are generated consecutively, for each method and constructor separately.

The Jasmin assembler converts labels to addresses. An address in Java bytecode is a 16-bit offset with respect to the branching instruction. The target address must be part of the code array of the same method.

## Resources - Labels

A recursive traversal generates the necessary labels for each control structure

```
int label;
int nextlabel() {
    return label++;
}

[...]

case whileK:
    s->val.whileS.startlabel = nextlabel();
    s->val.whileS.stoplabel = nextlabel();
    resEXP(s->val.whileS.condition);
    resSTATEMENT(s->val.whileS.body);
    break;

[...]

case orK:
    e->val.orE.truelabel = nextlabel();
    resEXP(e->val.orE.left);
    resEXP(e->val.orE.right);
    break;
```

# Internal Representation of Bytecode

Before optimizing and emitting, the compiler must generate an internal representation of the machine code.

## Jasmin bytecode

```
typedef struct CODE {
    enum {
        newCK,
        instanceofCK,
        imulCK,
        ifeqK,
        if_acmpeqCK,
        invokevirtualCK,
        [...]
    } kind;
    union {
        char *newC;
        char *instanceofC;
        int ifeqC;
        char *invokevirtualC;
        [...]
    } val;
    struct CODE *next;
} CODE;
```

# Code Templates

To generate internal machine code representation based on the AST, compilers use code templates that

- Show how to generate correct code for each language construct;
- Ignore the surrounding context; and
- Dictate a *simple*, recursive strategy.

This strategy generates *correct* but *inefficient* code that can be later optimized. Why?

## Why code templates?

- Generating efficient code directly from the AST requires extensive context knowledge;
- Is extremely tricky to get right in general; and
- Ignores the possibility of more complex transformations (e.g. common subexpression elimination).

# Code Template Invariants

In Java bytecode, the generated code must have the following invariants for the stack

- Evaluation of a statement leaves the stack height unchanged; and
- Evaluation of an expression increases the stack height by one.

This follows the logic that expressions (and not statements) have an associated value.

## Special case of ExpressionStatement

- If the expression evaluates to a value, the result is popped off the stack; but
- For void return expressions, nothing is popped.

# Template - If Statement

$\text{if } (E) \ S$

## Template

$E$

ifeq stop

$S$

stop:

## JOOS source

```
case ifK:  
    codeEXP(s->val.ifS.condition);  
    code_ifeq(s->val.ifS.stoplabel);  
    codeSTATEMENT(s->val.ifS.body);  
    code_label("stop", s->val.ifS.stoplabel);  
    break;
```

# Template - IfElse Statement

```
if (E) S_1 else S_2
```

## Template

```
E
ifeq else
S_1
goto stop
else:
S_2
stop:
```

## JOOS source

```
case ifelseK:
    codeEXP(s->val.ifelseS.condition);
    code_ifeq(s->val.ifelseS.elselabel);
    codeSTATEMENT(s->val.ifelseS.thenpart);
    code_goto(s->val.ifelseS.stoplabel);
    code_label("else", s->val.ifelseS.elselabel);
    codeSTATEMENT(s->val.ifelseS.elsepart);
    code_label("stop", s->val.ifelseS.stoplabel);
break;
```

# Let's Practice!

Compute the resources and generate the Jasmin code for the following method

```
public int m(int x) {  
    if (x < 0)  
        return (x * x);  
    else  
        return (x * x * x);  
}
```

# Jasmin Code

```
public int m(int x) {
    if (x < 0)
        return (x * x);
    else
        return (x * x * x);
}

.method public m(I)I
.limit locals 2
.limit stack 2
    iload_1
    iconst_0
    if_icmplt true_2
    iconst_0
    goto stop_3
true_2:
    iconst_1
stop_3:
    ifeq else_0
    iload_1
    iload_1
    imul
    ireturn
    goto stop_1
else_0:
    iload_1
    iload_1
    imul
    iload_1
    imul
    ireturn
stop_1:
    nop
.end method
```

# Let's Practice!

Compute the resources and generate the Jasmin code for the following method. What would be different for this compared to the previous method?

```
public int m(int x) {  
    if (x < 0)  
        return (x * x);  
    else  
        return (x * (x * x));  
}
```

# Jasmin Code

```
public int m(int x) {
    if (x < 0)
        return (x * x);
    else
        return (x * (x * x));
}

.method public m(I)I
.limit locals 2
.limit stack 3
    iload_1
    iconst_0
    if_icmplt true_2
    iconst_0
    goto stop_3
true_2:
    iconst_1
stop_3:
    ifeq else_0
    iload_1
    iload_1
    imul
    ireturn
    goto stop_1
else_0:
    iload_1 ; load x three times
    iload_1
    iload_1
    imul ; two imuls
    imul
    ireturn
stop_1:
    nop
.end method
```

# Template - While Statement

while (*E*) *S*

## Template

```
start:  
E  
ifeq stop  
S  
goto start  
stop:
```

## JOOS source

```
case whileK:  
    code_label("start", s->val.whileS.startlabel);  
    codeEXP(s->val.whileS.condition);  
    code_ifeq(s->val.whileS.stoplabel);  
    codeSTATEMENT(s->val.whileS.body);  
    code_goto(s->val.whileS.startlabel);  
    code_label("stop", s->val.whileS.stoplabel);  
    break;
```

# Announcements (Monday, February 19th)

## Milestones

- Assignment 2 has been graded

## Milestone 1

- Any questions?
- **Due:** Sunday, February 25th 11:59 PM

# Template - Expression Statement

*E*

**Template (*E* type void)**

*E*

**Template (otherwise)**

*E*

pop

**JOOS source**

```
case expK:  
    codeEXP(s->val.exps);  
    if (s->val.exps->type->kind != voidK) {  
        code_pop();  
    }  
    break;
```

# Template - Local Variable Expression

$x$

**Template ( $x$  type int or boolean)**

iload  $\text{offset}(x)$

**Template (otherwise)**

aload  $\text{offset}(x)$

**JOOS source**

```
case localSym:  
    if (e->val.idE.idsym->val.locals.type->kind == refK) {  
        code_aload(e->val.idE.idsym->val.locals->offset);  
    } else {  
        code_iload(e->val.idE.idsym->val.locals->offset);  
    }  
    break;
```

# Template - Assignment

$x = E$

An assignment in JOOS is an expression on its own. It must therefore leave its value on the stack

**Template ( $x$  has type int or boolean)**

$E$   
dup  
istore  $offset(x)$

**Template (otherwise)**

$E$   
dup  
astore  $offset(x)$

**JOOS source**

```
case formalSym:  
    codeEXP(e->val.assignE.right);  
    code_dup();  
    if (e->val.assignE.leftsym->val.formals->type->kind == refK) {  
        code astore(e->val.assignE.leftsym->val.formals->offset);  
    } else {  
        code_istore(e->val.assignE.leftsym->val.formals->offset);  
    }  
    break;
```

# Template - Or Expression

$E_1 \mid\mid E_2$

## Template

$E_1$

dup

ifne true

pop

$E_2$

true:

## JOOS source

```
case orK:  
    codeEXP(e->val.orE.left);  
    code_dup();  
    code_ifne(e->val.orE.truelabel);  
    code_pop();  
    codeEXP(e->val.orE.right);  
    code_label("true", e->val.orE.truelabel);  
    break;
```

# Short-Circuiting Logical Operators

Consider the following method which has both or/and logical operators

```
public int m(int x, int y) {  
    if (y != 0 && x / y > 2)  
        return x / y;  
    if (y != 0 || x != 0)  
        return x * y;  
    return 0;  
}
```

Which parts of the conditions are executed, and which may be skipped?

# Short-Circuiting And

```
if (y != 0 && x / y > 2)
    return x / y;
```

```
    iload_2
    iconst_0
    if_icmpne true_2
    iconst_0
    goto stop_3
true_2:
    iconst_1
stop_3:
    dup
    ifeq false_1
    pop
    iload_1
    iload_2
    idiv
    iconst_2
    if_icmpgt true_4
    iconst_0
    goto stop_5
true_4:
    iconst_1
stop_5:
false_1:
    ifeq stop_0
    iload_1
    iload_2
    idiv
    ireturn
stop_0:
```

## Short-Circuiting Or

```
if (y != 0 || x != 0)
    return x * y;

        iload_2
        iconst_0
        if_icmpne true_8
        iconst_0
        goto stop_9
true_8:
        iconst_1
stop_9:
        dup
        ifne true_7
        pop
        iload_1
        iconst_0
        if_icmpne true_10
        iconst_0
        goto stop_11
true_10:
        iconst_1
stop_11:
true_7:
        ifeq stop_6
        iload_1
        iload_2
        imul
        ireturn
stop_6:
```

# Template - Equality Expression

$E_1 == E_2$

**Template ( $E_i$  has type int or boolean) use if\_acmpeq otherwise**

```

E_1
E_2
if_icmpneq true
ldc_int 0
goto stop
true:
ldc_int 1
stop:

```

## JOOS source

```

case eqK:
    codeEXP(e->val.eqE.left); codeEXP(e->val.eqE.right);
    if (e->val.eqE.left->type->kind==refK) {
        code_if_acmpeq(e->val.eqE.truelabel);
    } else {
        code_if_icmpneq(e->val.eqE.truelabel);
    }
    code_ldc_int(0);
    code_goto(e->val.eqE.stoplabel);
    code_label("true", e->val.eqE.truelabel);
    code_ldc_int(1);
    code_label("stop", e->val.eqE.stoplabel);
break;

```

# Template - Plus Expression

$E_1 + E_2$

**Template ( $E_i$  has type int)**

$E_1$   
 $E_2$   
iadd

**Template (otherwise)**

$E_1$   
 $E_2$   
invokevirtual java/lang/String/concat (Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/String;

**JOOS source**

```
case plusK:
    codeEXP(e->val.plusE.left);
    codeEXP(e->val.plusE.right);
    if (e->type->kind == intK) {
        code_iadd();
    } else {
        code_invokevirtual("java/lang/.../String;");
    }
    break;
```

(A separate test of an  $e->tostring$  field is used to handle string coercion)

# Template - Not Expression

$\neg E$

## Template

$E$

```
ifeq true
ldc_int 0
goto stop
true:
ldc_int 1
stop:
```

## JOOS source

```
case notK:
    codeEXP(e->val.notE.not);
    code_ifeq(e->val.notE.truelabel);
    code_ldc_int(0);
    code_goto(e->val.notE.stoplabel);
    code_label("true", e->val.notE.truelabel);
    code_ldc_int(1);
    code_label("stop", e->val.notE.stoplabel);
break;
```

# Not Expression Branching

```
public int m(int x) {
    if (!!!!(x < 0))
        return (x * x);
    else
        return (x * x * x);
}
```

What is the minimal number of labels we need?

```
.method public m(I)I
.limit locals 2
.limit stack 2
    iload_1
    iconst_0
    if_icmpgt true_10
    iconst_0
    goto stop_11
true_10:
    iconst_1
stop_11:
    ifeq true_8
    iconst_0
    goto stop_9
true_8:
    iconst_1
stop_9:
    ifeq true_6
    iconst_0
    goto stop_7
true_6:
    iconst_1
stop_7:
    ifeq true_4
    iconst_0
    goto stop_5
true_4:
    iconst_1
stop_5:
    ifeq true_2
    iconst_0
    goto stop_3
true_2:
    iconst_1
stop_3:
    ifeq else_0
    iload_1
    iload_1
    imul
    ireturn
    goto stop_1
else_0:
    iload_1
    iload_1
    imul
    iload_1
    imul
    ireturn
stop_1:
    nop
.end method
```

# Alternative Translation of Boolean Expressions

Given an expression of form

$$! ! ! ! ! ! E$$

the templates we described earlier would generate lots of jumps.

**Idea:** Encode boolean logic by more clever introduction and swaps of labels

Define a function  $\text{trans}(b, l, t, f)$  to represent the translation of expression  $b$  to code

- $b$ : Boolean expression
- $l$ : label for evaluating current expression
- $t$ : jump-label in case  $b$  evaluates to **true**
- $f$ : jump-label in case  $b$  evaluates to **false**

## Alternative Translation of Boolean Expressions

The translation of  $\text{trans}(E_1 == E_2, l, t, f)$  is given by

```

l: E_1
    E_2
    if_icmpneq true
    ldc_int 0
    goto f
    true:
    ldc_int 1
    goto t

```

Using the idea of short circuiting and swapping labels, we can define the following equivalences

- $\text{trans}(\neg E, l, t, f) = \text{trans}(E, l, f, t)$
- $\text{trans}(E_1 \& \& E_2, l, t, f) = \text{trans}(E_1, l, l', f), \text{trans}(E_2, l', t, f)$
- $\text{trans}(E_1 \mid\mid E_2, l, t, f) = \text{trans}(E_1, l, t, l'), \text{trans}(E_2, l', t, f)$

Jumping code can be longer in comparison but for each branch it will usually execute less instructions.

## Template - this

this

## Template

aload 0

## JOOS source

```
case thisK:  
    code_aload(0);  
    break;
```

## Template - null

null

### Template (toString coerced)

ldc\_string "null"

### Template (otherwise)

aconst\_null

## JOOS source

```
case nullK:  
    if (e->tostring) {  
        code_ldc_string("null");  
    } else {  
        code_aconst_null();  
    }  
    break;
```

# Announcements (Wednesday, February 21st)

## Milestones

- Office hours cancelled today, rescheduled to Saturday, February 24th from 1:00-3:00 PM

## Milestone 1

- Any questions?
- **Due:** Sunday, February 25th 11:59 PM

# Template - Method Call

$E.m(E_1, \dots, E_n)$

## Template

$E$

$E_1$

.

.

.

$E_n$

invokevirtual  $\quad \text{signature(class}(E)\text{, }m\text{)}$

## Definitions

- $\text{class}(E)$  is the declared class of  $E$
- $\text{signature}(C, m)$  is the signature of the first implementation of  $m$  that is found from  $C$

# Template - Super Method Calls

`super.m(E_1, ..., E_n)`

## Template

`aload 0`

`E_1`

.

.

.

`E_n`

`invokespecial signature(parent(thisclass)), m)`

## Definitions

- *thisclass* is the current class
- *parent(C)* is the parent of *C* in the hierarchy
- *signature(C, m)* is the signature of the first implementation of *m* that is found from *parent(C)*

# Template - Method Calls

## JOOS source

```
case invokeK:  
    codeRECEIVER(e->val.invokeE.receiver);  
    codeARGUMENT(e->val.invokeE.args);  
    switch (e->val.invokeE.receiver->kind) {  
        case objectK: {  
            SYMBOL *s = lookupHierarchyClass(  
                e->val.invokeE.method->name,  
                e->val.invokeE.receiver->objectR->type->class  
            );  
            code_invokevirtual(codeMethod(s, e->val.invokeE.method));  
            break;  
        }  
        case superK: {  
            CLASS *c = lookupHierarchyClass(  
                e->val.invokeE.method->name,  
                currentclass->parent  
            );  
            code_invokenonvirtual(codeMethod(c, e->val.invokeE.method));  
            break;  
        }  
    }  
    break;
```

## Template - `toString` coercion

*E*

### Template (*E* has type int)

```
new java/lang/Integer  
dup  
E  
invokespecial java/lang/Integer/<init>(I)V  
invokevirtual java/lang/Integer/toString()Ljava/lang/String;
```

### Template (*E* has type boolean)

```
new java/lang/Boolean  
dup  
E  
invokespecial java/lang/Boolean/<init>(Z)V  
invokevirtual java/lang/Boolean/toString()Ljava/lang/String;
```

## Template - `toString` coercion

*E*

### Template (*E* has type `char`)

```
new java/lang/Character  
dup  
E  
invokespecial java/lang/Character/<init>()C  
invokevirtual java/lang/Character/toString()Ljava/lang/String;
```

### Template (otherwise)

```
E  
dup  
ifnull nulllabel  
invokevirtual signature(class(E), toString)  
goto stoplabel  
nulllabel:  
pop  
ldc_string "null"  
stoplabel:
```

# Computing the Stack Limit

```
public void Method() {
    int x, y;
    x = 12;
    y = 87;
    x = 2 * (x + y * (x - y));
}
```

```
.method public Method() V
.limit locals 3
.limit stack 5
    ldc 12           ← 1
    dup              ← 2
    istore_1         ← 1
    pop              ← 0
    ldc 87           ← 1
    dup              ← 2
    istore_2         ← 1
    pop              ← 0
    iconst_2         ← 1
    iload_1          ← 2
    iload_2          ← 3
    iload_1          ← 4
    iload_2          ← 5
    isub             ← 4
    imul             ← 3
    iadd             ← 2
    imul             ← 1
    dup              ← 2
    istore_1         ← 1
    pop              ← 0
    return
.end method
```

# Computing the Stack Limit

The stack limit is the maximum height of the stack during the evaluation of an expression in the method.

This requires detailed knowledge of

- The code that is generated; and
- The virtual machine.

Stupid A- JOOS source

```
int limitCODE(CODE *c) {
    return 25;
}
```

The A+ source code computes the limit using a recursive traversal, simulating the effect of operations on the stack.

# Emitting Code

Code is emitted in Jasmin format following the structure of a class file

```
.class public C
.super parent (C)

.field protected x_1 type (x_1)
:
.

.field protected x_k type (x_k)

.method public m_1 signature (C, m_1)
.limit locals l_1
.limit stack s_1
S_1
.end method
:

.method public m_n signature (C, m_n)
.limit locals l_n
.limit stack s_n
S_n
.end method
```

## Signature of a Method

The signature of a method  $m$  in a class  $C$  with argument types  $\tau_1, \dots, \tau_k$  and return type  $\tau$  is represented in Jasmin as

$$C/m\ (\text{rep}(\tau_1) \dots \text{rep}(\tau_k))\ \text{rep}(\tau)$$

The representation of each type in Jasmin code is given by

- $\text{rep}(\text{int}) = I$
- $\text{rep}(\text{boolean}) = Z$
- $\text{rep}(\text{char}) = C$
- $\text{rep}(\text{void}) = V$
- $\text{rep}(C) = LC;$

### Example

The `char charAt (int index)` method as part of the `String` class has signature

`java/lang/String/charAt(I)C`

## Tiny JOOS Example Class

```
import joos.lib.*;  
  
public class Tree {  
    protected Object value;  
    protected Tree left;  
    protected Tree right;  
  
    public Tree(Object v, Tree l, Tree r) {  
        super();  
        value = v;  
        left = l;  
        right = r;  
    }  
  
    public void setValue(Object newValue) {  
        value = newValue;  
    }  
}
```

## Tiny JOOS Example Class - Jasmin File

```
.class public Tree
.super java/lang/Object
.field protected value Ljava/lang/Object;
.field protected left LTree;
.field protected right LTree;

.method public <init>(Ljava/lang/Object;LTree;LTree;)V
.limit locals 4
.limit stack 3
    aload_0
    invokespecial java/lang/Object/<init>()
    aload_0
    aload_1
    putfield Tree/value Ljava/lang/Object;
    aload_0
    aload_2
    putfield Tree/left LTree;
    aload_0
    aload_3
    putfield Tree/right LTree;
    return
.end method

[...]
```

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[ . . . ]

```
.method public setValue(Ljava/lang/Object;)V
.limit locals 2
.limit stack 3
    aload_0
    aload_1
    putfield Tree/value Ljava/lang/Object;
    return
.end method
```

## Hex Dump of Class File

```
cafe babe 0003 002d 001a 0100 064c 5472
6565 3b07 0010 0900 0200 0501 0015 284c
6a61 7661 2f6c 616e 672f 4f62 6a65 6374
3b29 560c 0018 0001 0100 0654 7265 652e
6a01 000a 536f 7572 6365 4669 6c65 0100
0443 6f64 6507 000d 0c00 0e00 1209 0002
0017 0100 2128 4c6a 6176 612f 6c61 6e67
2f4f 626a 6563 743b 4c54 7265 653b 4c54
7265 653b 2956 0100 106a 6176 612f 6c61
6e67 2f4f 626a 6563 7401 0005 7661 6c75
650c 0011 0019 0100 0454 7265 6501 0006
3c69 6e69 743e 0100 124c 6a61 7661 2f6c
616e 672f 4f62 6a65 6374 3b0a 0009 000f
0100 0873 6574 5661 6c75 6509 0002 000a
0100 046c 6566 740c 0016 0001 0100 0572
6967 6874 0100 0328 2956 0021 0002 0009
0000 0003 0006 000e 0012 0000 0006 0016
0001 0000 0006 0018 0001 0000 0002 0001
0011 000c 0001 0008 0000 0020 0003 0004
0000 0014 2ab7 0013 2a2b b500 152a 2cb5
000b 2a2d b500 03b1 0000 0000 0001 0014
0004 0001 0008 0000 0012 0003 0002 0000
0006 2a2b b500 15b1 0000 0000 0001 0007
0000 0002 0006
```

## djas -w Tree.class

```
; magic number 0CAFEBABE
; bytecode version 45.3

; constant pool count 26
; cp[1] (offset 0xf) -> CONSTANT_NameAndType 9, 25
; cp[2] (offset 0x22) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "java/lang/Object"
; cp[3] (offset 0x27) -> CONSTANT_Fieldref 12, 21
; cp[4] (offset 0x30) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "<init>"
; cp[5] (offset 0x3b) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "setValue"
; cp[6] (offset 0x3e) -> CONSTANT_Class 2
; cp[7] (offset 0x43) -> CONSTANT_NameAndType 4, 10
; cp[8] (offset 0x48) -> CONSTANT_Fieldref 12, 1
; cp[9] (offset 0x4f) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "left"
; cp[10] (offset 0x55) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "()V"
; cp[11] (offset 0x5c) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "Code"
; cp[12] (offset 0x5f) -> CONSTANT_Class 22
; cp[13] (offset 0x64) -> CONSTANT_Fieldref 12, 18
; cp[14] (offset 0x71) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "SourceFile"
; cp[15] (offset 0x86) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "Ljava/lang/Object;"
; cp[16] (offset 0xaa) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "(Ljava/lang/Object;LTree;LTree;)V"
; cp[17] (offset 0xaf) -> CONSTANT_Methodref 6, 7
; cp[18] (offset 0xb4) -> CONSTANT_NameAndType 24, 25
; cp[19] (offset 0xcc) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "(Ljava/lang/Object;)V"
; cp[20] (offset 0xd4) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "value"
; cp[21] (offset 0xd9) -> CONSTANT_NameAndType 20, 15
; cp[22] (offset 0xe0) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "Tree"
; cp[23] (offset 0xe9) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "Tree.j"
; cp[24] (offset 0xf1) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "right"
; cp[25] (offset 0xfa) -> CONSTANT_Utf8 "LTree;"


; access flags = 0x21 [ ACC_SUPER ACC_PUBLIC ]
; this_class index = 12
```

```
; super_class index = 6
; interfaces_count = 0

; fields_count = 3

; fields[0] (offset 0x104) :
;   access_flags 0x4 [ ACC_PROTECTED ]
;   name_index 20 (value)
;   descriptor_index 15 (Ljava/lang/Object;)
;   attributes_count 0

; fields[1] (offset 0x10c) :
;   access_flags 0x4 [ ACC_PROTECTED ]
;   name_index 9 (left)
;   descriptor_index 25 (LTree;)
;   attributes_count 0

; fields[2] (offset 0x114) :
;   access_flags 0x4 [ ACC_PROTECTED ]
;   name_index 24 (right)
;   descriptor_index 25 (LTree;)
;   attributes_count 0

; methods_count 2

; methods[0] (offset 0x11e) :
;   access_flags 0x1 [ ACC_PUBLIC ]
;   name_index 4 (<init>)
;   descriptor_index 16 ((Ljava/lang/Object;LTree;LTree;)V)
;   attributes_count 1
;   method_attributes[0] :
;     name_index 11 (Code)
```

```
;         attribute_length 41
;         max_stack 3
;         max_locals 4
;         code_length 29
;         code :
;             0: aload_0
;             1: invokespecial 17 (java/lang/Object/<init> ()V)
;             4: aload_1
;             5: dup
;             6: aload_0
;             7: swap
;             8: putfield 3 (Tree/value Ljava/lang/Object;)
;            11: pop
;            12: aload_2
;            13: dup
;            14: aload_0
;            15: swap
;            16: putfield 8 (Tree/left LTree;)
;            19: pop
;            20: aload_3
;            21: dup
;            22: aload_0
;            23: swap
;            24: putfield 13 (Tree/right LTree;)
;            27: pop
;            28: return
;         exception_table_length 0
;         attributes_count 0

; methods[1] (offset 0x155) :
;     access_flags 0x1 [ ACC_PUBLIC ]
;     name_index 5 (setValue)
;     descriptor_index 19 ((Ljava/lang/Object;)V)
```

```
; attributes_count 1
; method_attributes[0] :
;   name_index 11 (Code)
;   attribute_length 21
;   max_stack 3
;   max_locals 2
;   code_length 9
;   code :
;     0: aload_1
;     1: dup
;     2: aload_0
;     3: swap
;     4: putfield 3 (Tree/value Ljava/lang/Object;)
;     7: pop
;     8: return
; exception_table_length 0
; attributes_count 0

; attributes_count 1
; class_attributes[0] (offset 0x17a) :
;   name_index 14 (SourceFile)
;   attribute_length 2
;   sourcefile_index 23

; End of file reached successfully. Enjoy :)
```

# Testing Strategy

The testing strategy for the code generator involves two phases

1. A careful argumentation that each code template is correct; and
2. A demonstration that each code template is generated correctly.